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MACROCYCLIC COMPOUNDS USEFUL IN DRUG DISCOVERY

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action of May 15, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

REMARKS

Cancel claims 11 to 23 without prejudice. The Applicant reserve his rights to file a divisional patent application on these claims.